GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PSs – School Education Department - Departmental Action initiated against certain officials of Rajiv Vidya Mission, SSA, Ananthapuramu on the irregularities in purchase of Teaching and Learning Equipment and Teaching Learning Materiel in Sarva Siksha Abhiyan, Ananthapuramu District - Investigation report of the CID i.e., "Mistake of Fact/Evidence not sufficient" as no evidence is forth coming to charge the case against the accused - Report accepted - Orders- Issued.

SCHOOL EDUCATION (VIG) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.129 Dated:27.03.2024

Read the following:

1. From the SPD, RVM (SSA), AP, Hyd, Lr.Rc.No. 4485/RVM/B2/2007, Dt. 04.06.2008.
2. Govt. Memo. No.5945/SE.Vig.11&Coordn/A1/2008-4 to 10, Dt. 23.07.2008.
3. Proceedings of the SPD, RVM, (SSA), AP, Hyd. No 4485/RVM/B2/2007, Dt.30.08.2008.
4. Proceedings of DSE., AP, Hyderabad No.570/C2-3/2008, Dt.27.05.2008.
5. G.O.Rt.No.1322, Agriculture and Cooperation (Vig III) Dept., Dt. 7.12.2011.
6. GO.Rt.No.1323, Agriculture and Cooperation (Vig.III) Dept. Dt.7.12.2011
7. G.O.Rt.No.493 , Education (PE. Vig. 1) Dept., Dt.06.09.2012.
8. From the SPD. RVM (SSA). A.P Hyderabad, Lr. Rc.No.4485/RVM/ B2/2007, Dt.16.06.2012 addressed to the ADGP, CID. AP. Hyd., and a copy marked to the Govt.
9. From the Commissioner of Inquiries, D.O.L.r.No.09/COI-AS/2013, Dt.21.03.2014.
10. Govt. Memo No.5945/SE.Vig. I(2)/2008-60, Dt.29.1.2015 A.P.,Hyderabad
11. From the SPD. RVM (SSA). Lr.Rc.No.4485/APSSA/A15/2007, dt. 18.02.2015.
12. Govt.Memo.No.5945/SE. Vig.I(2)/2008-61, dt.31.3.2015.
13. From the SPD. RVM (SSA). A.P..Lr.Rc.No.4485/APSSA/A15/2007, Dt. 13.05.2015 & 22.05.2015.
14. G.O.Rt.No.216, Education(SE.VIG.I)Dept., Dt. 03.11.2015.
15. G.O.Rt.No.217, Education(SE.VIG.I)Dept., Dt. 03.11.2015.
16. From the Addl.DGP, AP., letter C.No.2506/C-11/CID-AP/2011, Dt.15.12.2017.
17. Govt.Memo.No.5945/SE. Vig.I(2)/2008, Dt. 14.02.2019.
18. Govt.Memo.No.5945/SE. Vig.I(2)/2008, Dt. 04.05.2023.
19. From the Addll.DGP, AP., letter C.No.2506/EOW,C-11/CID-AP/2011, Dt.05.05.2023.

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Based on the inspection report of Regional Joint Director of School Education, Kadapa & AAD, O/o the State Project Director, Rajiv Vidya Mission, Hyderabad with regard to the purchase of Teaching Learning Equipment and Teaching Learning Material (TLM) from 2003 to 2007 in Rajiv Vidya Mission (Sarva Siksha Abhiyan), Ananthapuramu, received vide reference 1st read above. Instructions have been issued to the all concerned Departments to take disciplinary action against the Officers/Staff as per CCA rules who were involved in the matter vide reference 2nd read above. Accordingly, departmental proceedings were initiated against Sri M.Muralidhar, the then APC; Sri B.J.Pushparaj, the then Superintendent and now AD; Sri P.Ram Mohan, the then APC; and Sri Venkatesh Naik, the then AAO, by the concerned authorities vide references 3rd to 6th read above.

2. Sri Alok Srivastava, IPS, (Retd.) COI, has been appointed by the Government under Rule 20(2) of A.P.C.S. (CC&A)Rules, 1991 for conducting inquiry into the charges framed against the above officers of Rajiv Vidya Mission (SSA), Ananthapuramu vide reference 7th read above.

3. The State Project Director, Rajiv Vidya Mission (SSA) has also filed a criminal

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case before the CID, against officials who were involved in this case vide reference 8th read above and the final report is still awaited.

4. The COI has submitted the enquiry report vide reference 9th read above and the remarks of the State Project Director, Rajiv Vidya Mission (SSA) has been called for thereon on the findings of the Enquiry officer. Accordingly, remarks have been received vide reference 11th read above.

5. After examination of the enquiry report submitted by the COI-AS, Govt. vide G.O.Rt.No.216, dated 03.11.2015, dropped further action against (1) Sri B.J.Pushparaj, the then Supdt.; (2) Sri M.Muralidhar, the then APC; (3) Sri P.Ram Mohan, the then APC; And (4) Sri Venkatesh Naik, the then AAO, subject to outcome of criminal case pending against them vide reference 14th read above. Also dropped further action against Sri Ravi Prasad, the then APC and Sri G.Mallanna, the then APC, SSA, Ananthapuramu, vide G.O.Rt.No.217, dated 03.11.2015, subject to outcome of criminal case pending against them vide reference 15th read above.

6. Government have sent detailed action taken report to CID in the matter for their perusal and recommendations, if any, vide reference 17th read above.

7. The Addl.DGP, CID has been requested to furnish latest stage of the criminal case in Cr.No.49/2012, pending before the CID vide reference 18th read above.

8. The CID in letter dated 05.05.2023 vide reference 19th read above. has submitted the stage of the Criminal Case as follows:

> "The complainant Smt.V.Usharani, I.A.S., State Project Director, Rajiv Vidya Mission, AP had preferred a complaint, as per the Government Directions vide Memo No.13097/ SSA/A1/2007-18, dt.10.02.2011 a case was registered vide Cr.No.49/2012 U/s 406, 477(A), 420 r/w 120(B) IPC and Sec.13 of PC Act of CID PS against M.Muralidhar, Ex-Additional Project Coordinator, Rajiv Vidya Mission (Sarva Siksha Abhiyan, Ananthapuramu) and 6 others for allegedly committing criminal breach of trust, misappropriation of Govt. funds and cheating the Govt. in purchase of teaching learning equipment and teaching learning materials.
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> After completion of investigation, the case was referred as "Mistake of Fact/Evidence not sufficient "as no evidence is forth coming to charge the case against the accused".

9. After careful examination of the matter and in view of the remarks offered by the CID vide reference 19th read above, Government, hereby accepted the Investigation report of the CID i.e., "Mistake of Fact/Evidence not sufficient" as no evidence is forth coming to charge the case against the accused.

10. The Commissioner of School Education, AP/ the State Project Director, SS shall take necessary action accordingly, in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

PRAVEEN PRAKASH
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Individuals concerned through the Commissioner of School Education, A.P
The Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Mangalagiri.
The State Project Director, SS, Patamata, Vijayawada.
The Addl.DGP, CID, A.P.,
SF/SC.

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SECTION OFFICER